

## **Full-time Associate Rector position at Christ Anglican Church – Orange, VA**

Christ Anglican seeks an Associate Rector to serve God and shepherd his people alongside the Rector. The role calls for a deep love for God and his people, a mature spiritual walk, and a life marked by prayer, a teachable spirit, and humble service.

Candidates for the position should be ordained to the priesthood in the ACNA, ideally with some years of parish ministry. Exceptional candidates who are in the ordination process could also be considered.

Excellent written and verbal communication abilities are essential, as well as capable computer/technology skills. Musical abilities are a plus.

The Associate will be engaged with every aspect of the life of the church:

- Preach and celebrate on scheduled Sunday worship services, including composing the service and selecting music.
- Lead Bible studies, assist and/or preside at weddings, funerals, special services, and pastoral visitations, training others to do likewise.
- Attend and participate in Vestry meetings, budget creation, and planning sessions with the Administrative Associate.
- Participate in the life of the Diocese of the Mid-Atlantic, attending diocesan meetings and functions.
- Meet regularly with the Rector and others (such as a spiritual director/spiritual mentor).

We envision the Associate giving particular attention to two ministry focuses:

### **Outreach + Mission**

The Associate will help foster greater awareness of outreach and mission needs and opportunities, maintaining the missional DNA of the congregation.

### **Ministry with Younger Families**

Christ Anglican is blessed with many young families with small children. The Associate will give attention to their discipleship and nurture. This role could also involve helping to develop youth ministry.

### **Compensation & Contact Information**

Christ Anglican offers a competitive salary and benefits. More information can be obtained by contacting the Rev. Jim Beavers, Rector: [jim.beavers@christanglicanorange.org](mailto:jim.beavers@christanglicanorange.org)